# **City of Northampton**

### **MASSACHUSETTS**

## In City Council, January 21, 2016

# Upon the recommendation of the Community Preservation Committee Ordered, that

- WHEREAS, Historic Northampton, Inc. submitted an application for Community Preservation Act funding for continued work to restore, renovate and stabilize the Damon and Shepherd Houses, and protect historic artifacts;
- WHEREAS, CPA funds will be used to secure an important historic resource that is valued by the community and the region, on which the City holds a permanent preservation restriction;
- WHEREAS, the project has a great deal of community support, and will help preserve the City's sense of place;
- WHEREAS, all work will be consistent with the Secretary of the Interior Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties;
- WHEREAS, on November 18, 2015 the Northampton Community Preservation Committee, voted unanimously to recommend that \$131,310 in Community Preservation Act funds be used to support this project.

### NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED,

That \$131,310 be appropriated from Community Preservation Act funding to Historic Northampton, Inc. for electrical work, roof and window replacement, and other related work to the Damon and Shepherd Houses. And, that the grantee meets the conditions approved by the Community Preservation Committee, the Mayor, and City Council.

Specifically, \$131,310 is appropriated from the CPA Historic Preservation Reserve (account #2344930-359932).